

Free Press.

SAN MARCOS, TEXAS.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1886.

HOME NEWS.

ARRIVAL OF PASSENGER TRAINS.

TRAINS FROM SAN MARCOS AS FOLLOWS:

MAIL. MAIL.

Going South: 8:40 A. M. and 8:40 P. M.

Going North: 8:40 A. M. and 6:05 P. M.

Persons not subscribers who may at

any time receive copies of the FREE

Press, will please understand that the

press is sent simply as samples, in the

hope that the parties addressed may like

it well enough to favor us with their subscrip

tions.

Two Copies for \$3.50.

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copies abroad, and by way of encourage

ment so to do, we offer two copies of the

FREE Press at \$3.50—cash in advance.

Fresh oysters at Candy Factory.

Honey vinegar, at Kidd's.

Fresh California fruits at Candy Factory.

Fresh stock of raisins, citrons, currants

and prunes at LEAVELL'S.

Clothing of all kinds at cost.

DAILEY & BRO.

MEAT CUTTERS at G. W. Donalson &

Co's.

Full line of California canned fruits at

LEAVELL'S.

Choice hay for sale. Inquire of

HARDY & CO.

A full line of jerseys from 75 cents to

\$6.50 each.

DAILEY & BRO.

EXPRESS WAGONS for the boys. A

big lot at G. W. Donalson & Co's. Hard

ware store.

Large and choice lot of crockery for sale

cheap at L. B. KILLIAN'S.

The note of preparation for the Christ

mas trade at the Bookstore is already be

coming lively.

WARRANTY DEEDS for sale at the FREE

Press office.

Geo. W. Knight, Jeweler, east side the

Plaza, San Marcos.

Smoke the "Queen of Baltimore," the

best 5 cent cigar in town. For sale at

LEAVELL'S.

Thomas Taylor, successor to Taylor &

Taylor, continues to keep a full and fresh

supply of choice family groceries. Fine

lot of tobacco cheap.

Buy your dry goods, boots, shoes and

clothing at J. S. Killian's and get a bargain

for the cash.

We have the largest line of millinery

goods in the city and are selling them cheap

than can be bought elsewhere.

DAILEY & BRO.

Fresh California grapes every day, at 10

cents per pound, at Copple's west side pub

lic square.

Just received, one car of Jackson Wagons

and one car of steel nails, offered at lowest

prices. Wm. Green, Agent.

CROP MORTGAGES at the FREE PRESS

Office.

I am in receipt of a carload of the cele

brated Newton Wagons, second to none in

the market, and offer the same at low

prices and liberal terms. Also received a

car of Belmont steel nails. Wm. Green,

Agent.

Copple's is the place to get your fresh

fruits, candies, and groceries generally

very cheap. His famous sweet cider still

on tap. You will receive prompt and polite

attention. Give him a call.

Honey Cheap.

Sixty lbs. only 8c. Inquire at

W. L. Kidd's wholesale store, or address

J. M. Killough.

For Rent.

A cottage of three rooms besides kitchen,

two lots, inclosed; sheds, hydrant and cis

ter water. Apply at FREE PRESS office.

Cassaday Sulky

the only sulky plow giving entire satisfaction

For sale by Wm. Green, Sole Agent.

Barb wire lower than ever.

San Marcos

Boarding House, No. 329 Hidalgo street,

between International depot and Franklin

Square, San Antonio, Texas. Boarding by

the day, week or month very reasonable.

G. C. BILLY, Proprietor.

Remember I keep only first-class goods,

and guarantee satisfaction.

R. W. LEAVELL.

Millinery.

Mrs. Richardson is in receipt of another

large supply of goods in her line.

I Am Agent For

McCormick self binder, Mowers etc,

Jackson wagons

Deer plows

Cassidy sulky plows

Standard cultivators

Bookwalter hay rakes

Wheeler Thrashers

and other machinery and farm implements

for which I solicit orders, guaranteeing

lowest prices and best terms.

Wm. Green.

Printed! Printed!!

We are just in receipt of a fine lot of let

ter and note heads, bill heads, cards and

job stock of all kinds. All work promptly

and satisfactorily done. Send in your or

ders.

For Sale.

My residence in San Marcos, consisting of

two large lots with improvements. The

whole will be sold together, or the lots se

parately, to suit purchasers. Call on or ad

dress I. C. WOODCOCK.

San Marcos.

San Marcos Real Estate For Sale.

A desirable business house and lot on the

east side of the public square. First rate

business location.

Also a choice corner lot in Coffield's ad

dition to the town in the valley just below

the Chautauque Hill, adjacent to the pro

posed city park. Inquire at or address

the FREE PRESS, San Marcos, Texas.

Members of the Farmers' Alliance are in

ited to see G. C. Reed & Co.

We are going to give away, from now to

Dec. 1st, a Cash of Silver Ware, to any

one who will act as our Agent and sell

orders. Any Lady or Gentleman desiring

profitably employment, that will send their

name and address to the Wallingford Sil

ver Co., Wallingford, Ct., will receive one

Free.

There are but few vacant houses left.

County Court was in session this week.

Flux is prevailing somewhat at Martin

dale.

Bosen Johns' "snake-show" actually came

off on Tuesday night.

All our business houses are closed to-day

in honor of Thanksgiving.

Few small towns have so good a system

of water-works as San Marcos.

"BLUEGRASS"

A pleasant young folks' party was given

at the residence of Mr. S. L. Townsend on

Monday night.

Repairs are being made on the Methodist

church the present week in view of the ap

proaching winter.

Another issue of The Cosmos is impend

ing, of the quality of which we give a sam

ple on our first page.

Mr. S. P. Bozarth, the Wimberly nursery

man, has established an agency at this place

at Mr. Kidd's produce store, west side plaza.

The heavy frost of last Thursday morn

ing had the effect of considerably damaging

vegetable and flower gardens in this vicinity.

Commissioners' Court met in special

session this week, to consummate the putting

out of the official "outs" and putting in the

"ins."

A child whose parents reside on Jen

nings place below Martindale, was ac

cidently burned the other day so as to cause

its death.

Frost, ice, sleet, fog, rain and a drop of

the thermometer in a few hours of from 80°

to 32°, all in one week, is doing pretty well

for Texas.

SULKY

We ran down to Austin on Monday, not

having visited the place since June. Busi

ness looked to us somewhat better than at

San Antonio.

The presence of Christian ladies and

their friends in a good cause within the

dingy precincts of Williamson's old saloon,

was a refreshing change.

A bogus magazine agent who succeeded

in victimizing a number of our unsophistic

ated people, was arrested in San Antonio

and jailed at this place.

The election is over and candidates are

scarce, and when we do happen to meet

one we fail to see that affability which char

acterized them before the election. "Cir

cumstances alter cases."

Matters in church circles are rather quiet

at present. There were no services at the

Methodist church on Sunday morning, and

none at any at night, except the Christian

church, which was largely attended.

The oyster supper given at Williamson's

old corner, on Friday and Saturday, under

the auspices of the Ladies' Missionary So

ciety, was a success, financially and numeri

cally. We learn they netted some \$35 as a

result.

PLOWS,

At a recent meeting of the Ladies Aid

Society of the Presbyterian church the fol

lowing officers were elected: Mrs. J. G.

Pendleton, president; Mrs. Chas. Hutchings,

vice president; Miss Queen Lindsey, treas

urer; Miss Fannie Garth, secretary. The

next regular meeting will be held in the

church Monday, Nov. 29th, 4 o'clock p. m.

Our hastily written paragraph concerning

Barlow's majority for Clerk in our last

failed to convey precisely the idea which

was in our mind, viz: that it was the largest

ever cast for a county candidate in this

county where there was a hotly contested

fight. It was not our purpose to please or

displease any one, but simply to give a

local political item of some interest.

The Star Vn Hutor "bark" up the wrong

tree" when it labors to show that we were

unjust to the memory of poor O. G. Shams

simply because we published the facts of

his death from the San Antonio and other

papers. Our relations with him were al

ways friendly, and no one sympathizes more

deeply with his bereaved family than we.

But none the less did we deem it our duty

to add a line of warning from his sad fate

and that no doubt was what gave offence

to the poor fabricator of the Blanco Star.

SOLD BY

G. W. DONALSON & CO.

An "Interesting Occasion"—A Hand

some Deed.

It is pretty difficult for one who has

charge of all departments of a country

newspaper business, as is the case with us,

and who is also a "family man," to notice

all that is going on which really seems to

demand notice. Hence we failed to make

mention of a late incident in the life of

Capt. Martin Hinzle, of Palestine, whom

everybody here well knows. About a month

since Palestine was honored by a visit from

600 members of the Farmers' Alliance, with

o' bales of cotton in their control. Of

course such a visit from such a body created

no little interest among the business men

of Palestine. But Capt. Hinzle, with his

assumed liberality, and enterprise, fair

ly "got away" with all competitors in his

handsome reception of the visiting mem

bers of the Alliance. Of his own thought

and at his own expense he hired a large

room and set a table spread not only with

the substantial but the delicious of the

land. To this entertainment the visiting

farmers were freely invited, and the "charge

of the six hundred" on the good things set

before them was a sight to see. Five ta

bles were emptied in a trice, and there were

many expressions of appreciation of Capt.

Hinzle's generous hospitality. It was cer

tainly a fine stroke of policy on his part,

but one which no small-souled man would

have conceived of or carried out. It will

undoubtedly prove "bread cast upon the wa

ters."

Hood's Sarsaparilla, acting through the

blood, reaches every part of the system, and

in this way positively cures catarrh.

THE EARTHQUAKE

has been abandoned by Wiggins, and

DAILEY & BRO.,

desiring to give up their Clothing Department, will sell their entire stock of CLOTHING

at and below COST until disposed of. They have some fine

\$27.50 SUITS THAT YOU CAN BUY FOR \$15.00!

\$18.00 Suits For \$12.00,

and so on down to the Cheapest Suits.

YOUTHS AND BOYS SUITS FROM

\$3.50 TO \$7.50,

Worth double the money. Be sure and call early.